December 15, 2015

The December 15, 2015 meeting of the Mansfield Township Open Space Committee was called to order by Chair James Watters at 7:00 p.m., followed by a pledge of allegiance to the flag. Present were James Waters, Andy Parke, Glenn Todd, Richard Rosenblum, Carren Thomas, Cindy Korczukowski and Township Committeeman Joseph Watters.

Minutes

Corrections: The comments regarding the Cafferata Park should be deleted. Also, five bid packets for the roof were taken. It was MOVED to approve the minutes as corrected by Mr. Parke, seconded by Mr. Todd. All in favor.

Mt. Bethel Church

A pre bid meeting was held and more rebids were received, qualified bids to be opened December 22. The architect still must review. Tarp is in place on the other side. Mold is dropping off from dryness. The progress report for the church is not due yet. Once the roof is done, the architect will be asked to prepare the bid packet for mold remediation and duct cleaning. Money could be available from Open Space; to be discussed.

For tree removal, three people are interested in cutting fire wood. The Township Clerk has a Release form, trees are marked, cutting can begin. Care must be taken to protect the wall. Two mowers have been donated, they will temporarily be in the shed at the Rt. 57 garage. The back shed at the football field might be available; it is large and locked.

The non-profit certification has still not been received from the State. As to the fund raising concert, Rita and Stephen Love are in Mexico, planning to return in May or June.

Karrsville School House

Thank you notes have been sent to all who donated time or goods.

Cafferata Park

The Park sign has not been finished, so no payment has been made. Grants for further efforts at the Park may be available, possibly for a community garden.

A letter was sent to Brad Smith regarding his absences.

It was MOVED by Mr. Parke to adjourn at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth A. Pante, Clerk